GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
POWER
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SETTING UP OF THERMAL POWER PLANTS
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Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) the names of States to which proposals have been sent by the Union Governmentfor setting up of thermal power plants for providing cheap electricity in the country;

(b) the names of the States with which Memorandum of Understanding has beensigned after deciding the location for setting up thermal power stations;

(c) whether such a scheme is proposed to be launched in Rajasthan, Madhya Pradesh and Uttar Pradesh also; and

(d) if so, the time by which it is likely to be done?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRIMATI JAYAWANTI MEHTA)

(a) to (d) : The capacity addition programme in Central Sector by National ThermalPower Corporation (NTPC) and Damodar Valley Corporation (DVC) during the 10th Plan is as follows :-

Project/Location	MW
A. NTPC.	
Simhadri/Andhra Pradesh	500
Talcher-II/Orissa	2000
Ramagundam-III/Andhra Pradesh	500
Rihand-II/Uttar Pradesh	1000
Sipat/Chhattisgarh	1320
Kahalgaon-II/Bihar+	660
Barh/Bihar+	660
North Karanpura/Jharkhand+	660
Total	7300

\+ Approved by the Government as Mega Power Project. As mega power projects, benefits of customs duty exemption, exemption from sales tax and other state levies will be available to these projects for them to generate power at lower cost.

Project / location	MW
B. DVC	
Mejia Thermal Power Station Extension Unit-4/West Bengal	210
Chandrapura Thermal Power Station Stage-II/Jharkhand	250
Durgapur Thermal Power Station/West Bengal	250
Bakaro `B` Thermal Power Station Extension/Jharkhand	210
Maithon Right Bank Thermal Power Project/Jharkhand.	1000
Total	1920

+ A joint venture project between DVC and Bombay Suburban Electric Supply Company.